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Federal Opportunities

Community Based In-Home Asthma Environmental Education and Management. The Environmental Protection Agency announces funds to support pilot studies of asthma education to assess the effectiveness of their in-home approaches. The deadline is August 7, 2000. Two awards of no more than \$100,000 will be made. For further information, contact Sheila Brown at (202) 546-9370. Also see www.epa.gov.

AmeriCorps*Vista/Higher Education and Non-Profit Service-Learning Program Grants. The Corporation for National and Community Service announces funds to help meet the needs of low-income communities through institutions of higher learning and non-profit organizations engaged in service-learning focused activities. The deadline is August 4, 2000. Up to 10 awards will be made. For more information, contact David Gurr at (202) 606-5000 ext. 212.

New Family Friends/Volunteer Senior Aides Projects. The Administration on Aging announces funds for seven to eight model projects that demonstrate effective ways of planning, developing and sustaining Family Friends/Volunteer Senior Aides programs. Public and nonprofit community-level agencies and organizations are eligible. The deadline is August 14, 2000. For application kits, call (202) 619-2050. Also see www.aoa.gov.

Cultural Heritage and Preservation. The National Endowment for the Arts solicits applications for the preservation of cultural heritage. Festivals, exhibits, and other presentations that reflect and increase the public's appreciation for diverse cultural traditions are included. 501(c)(3) organizations are eligible,

yet community groups can use a fiscal sponsor to apply. The deadline is August 14, 2000. Visit www.arts.gov/guide/Orgs01/OrgIndex.html for more information. Or call (202) 682-5452.

District Opportunities

New! Substance Abuse Treatment & Prevention Continuum Grant. The DC Department of Health, Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration solicits applications for the provision of a comprehensive substance abuse treatment and secondary prevention continuum for women with children. The Request for Application will be available on July 19, 2000. The deadline for submission is August 18, 2000. APRA will award six grants for a total of \$3,000,000. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. For information, contact (202) 727-6537. Also see www.dccfo.com.

Still Open: Youth Substance Abuse Prevention Program Grant for Special Populations. The DC Department of Health, Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration (APRA) solicits applications to provide a science-based alcohol, tobacco, and other drug abuse prevention programs for Asian/Pacific Islander and mentally-challenged high-risk youth. The deadline for submission is July 21, 2000. APRA will award multiple grants for a total of \$165,000. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see www.dccfo.com.

Still Open: Nonpoint Source Pollution Prevention Grants. The DC Department of Health Environmental Health Administration is accepting proposals for the following projects: Baseline Stream Assessment of Pope Branch and Fort



Chaplin; DC Schoolyard Conservation Education; Anacostia Watershed Community Education Outreach; Development of a Leakage Test Guidance Manual for Stormwater BMPs; Riparian Stream Buffer Assessment for DC; Low Impact Development Practices Education Outreach; Effectiveness Monitoring of BMPs on a High-Use Parking Lot; Taxonomic Identification of Biological Samples; DC Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Standards and Specifications Revision and Update. The deadline is August 1, 2000. The grant period and funding amount varies from project to project. Contact Sheila Besse at (202) 535-2241.

Still Open: Multiple Project Grants. The DC Department of Health, Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration solicits applications for a Project Outreach Program in Ward 8 (\$250,000), five Mini-Grant Projects (\$50,000 each), and a Volunteers Program (\$80,000). The deadline for submission is July 18, 2000. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. For information, contact (202) 727-6537 or visit www.dccfo.com.

Last Call! Prevention Outreach and Education Campaign. The DC Department of Health, Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration solicits applications to coordinate prevention outreach and education campaign for youth led assemblies in DC public schools on tobacco issues as a part of the Synar tobacco compliance program. The deadline for submission is July 13, 2000. One award will be made for \$50,000. Applications can be obtained at the Office of Grants Management and Development, 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. For additional information, contact (202) 727-6537 and visit www.dccfo.com.

Last Call! Evaluation Grant. The DC Department of Health, Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration solicits applications to provide evaluation services for APRA's substance abuse prevention program. Additionally, APRA requires technical assistance for the Office of Prevention and Youth Services Monitoring Unit. The deadline for submission is July 11, 2000. One award for \$100,000 will be made. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. For additional information, contact (202) 727-6537 and see www.dccfo.com.

Foundation Opportunities

Children & Youth in DC Ward 8. The Public Welfare Foundation's Fund for Washington's Children & Youth is accepting proposals from organizations working to address the needs of DC's children and youth living in Ward 8. A total grant budget of \$500,000 will support strategic interventions in Hillsdale, Parkland, and Washington Highlands. The interventions must be communitybased and should focus on both the most pressing needs and the broader advocacy necessary to address those needs in a systematic way. New program ideas, collaborative efforts, and youth-initiated projects are encouraged. The deadline for applications is July 31, 2000. For more information, call (202) 965-1800. Also see www.publicwelfare.org/about/ childrensfund.html.

Family Literacy. The Barbara Bush Foundation for Family Literacy seeks to develop or expand projects that are designed to support the development of literacy skills in families. The deadline is September 8, 2000. The maximum award is \$50,000. For information, contact (202) 955-6183 and see www.barbarabushfamily.com.

Resources & Announcements

Art Funding Opportunities. *The Art Deadlines List* is a monthly email newsletter of scholarships, grants, competitions and other funding opportunities for artists, educators and students of all ages. A free version is available at www.xensei.com/adl/

DCMetro@CharityChannel.com. Join the new listserv (an electronic discussion) dedicated to grants and resource development in the DC metropolitan area. Over 200 participants are already involved. To subscribe, send an email message to Listserv@CharityChannel.com, the subject is ignored, and in the text write "subscribe DCMetro_firstname_lastname" (example: Subscribe DCMetro Michael Smith). Once subscribed, all members can send email messages to DCMetro@CharityChannel.com and they will be automatically sent to every subscriber. Call Dayne Walling at (202) 727-6537 for assistance.